

# THE INDEPENDENT

Fifty-First Year

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## LOCAL MANAGER BELL TELEPHONE CO.

**E. J. LePatourel Succeeds A. C. Palmer Who Will Devote Full Time To Plant Facilities In Community.**

Announcement is made today that, effective May 1st, E. J. LePatourel becomes Manager of the Bell Telephone Company in Grimsby, succeeding A. C. Palmer and having supervision also over the telephone exchanges at Beamsville, Vineland and Winona.

Due to expanding business, this change is being made to permit Mr. LePatourel to devote his full time to his specialty which, through the years, has been the important work of construction and maintenance of plant department facilities in this community.

Manager LePatourel comes here from Hamilton where he joined the Bell Telephone service and where, in addition to his other appointments in various offices in the Niagara Peninsula, he has gained valuable experience admirably equipping him to assume the local management.

## Councillor Bourne Uncovers Token of Ancient Grimsby History

Councillor A. B. Bourne while digging in his garden last week unearthed a bit of ancient Grimsby history in the form of a small token which reads "G.W.R. 1/2 cord of wood". From inquiry it was found that in the days when the railroad through here burned wood it was the custom for farmers to take a load of wood to the station where the train would run fuel at numerous stops. The farmer would receive a small token such as found by Mr. Bourne which he would later cash.

It is understood that Councillor Bourne is keeping the token as a souvenir and not attempting to cash it.

## CAISTOR LIBERALS ELECT OFFICERS

**Wine Situation Discussed By A. J. Haines — Says Fair Deal To Result From Investigation.**

The annual meeting of Caistor Township Liberal association was held in Caistor hall on Saturday evening, when the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year: President, Merritt Killian; vice-president, Arma Lymburner; secretary-treasurer, Vincent Lymburner; executive, Jason Zumbstein, Jacob Vell, Oscar Lymburner, Arthur Silverthorne, Frederick Green, Charles Snyder, Stanley Johnson, Walter Green, Murray Lymburner, Winifred Merritt, alternate executives John Lane, Arthur Lymburner, Frederick Smith, John Rahn, Lerre Marshall, George Maycock, Wilfred Shields, Gerald Werner, Claude Lymburner.

Visiting speakers were A. J. Haines, of Jordan, president Lincoln County Liberal association; Dr. W. Lymburner, Smithville; F. O. Greves, Beamsville, and Leslie J. Farrell, Grimsby, vice-presidents of the county group.

The association went on record as approving the policies of the provincial Liberal leader, Hon. M. F. Hepburn.

The Lincoln member, F. H. Avery, was referred to as being one of the most consistent members in the house, a courageous fighter who has worked continuously.

To an inquiry as to what was being done regarding the grape and wine situation, Mr. Haines replied with a resume of what had already taken place. He contended it was a battle between the distillery-owned wineries and the "little fellows." "If a reduction of ten cents a bottle on the retail price of wine goes into effect all the small wineries will go under. The small wineries have invited the government to send in auditors to inspect their books to prove this statement. The big fellows want to clear the little fellows out of the way and the proposed reduction would do it," he stated. He also said that one-half the tonnage from the grape vines now owned by wineries would crack the grape market. He felt that all parties concerned would be given a fair deal as a result of the investigation promised by Premier Hepburn. Arrangements were made to have the member, Mr. Avery, address a meeting in Caistor hall on the night of May 30.

## Daylight Saving Time Effective In Grimsby On Sunday, May 3rd

Pursuant to the decision of the municipal council of the town of Grimsby, Mayor Lewis has proclaimed that Daylight Saving Time shall be the official time for the municipality from 12.01 a.m. on May 3rd to 12.01 a.m. on September 16th.

Citizens will therefore find it necessary to move their clocks forward one hour before retiring on Saturday evening. Churches will therefore hold their services on Daylight Saving Time on Sunday.

Hamilton also goes on Daylight Saving Time on May 3rd. Toronto and Municipalities in the eastern part of Peninsula, including St. Catharines, are already on Daylight Saving Time.



E. J. LE PATOUREL  
Manager Bell Telephone Company,  
Grimsby.

## WANT WINE TAX REMOVED

**Growers Urge Change To Place Burden On Consumer — Officers Elected.**

Two hundred members of Niagara Wine Grape Growers' Association, at a meeting in St. Catharines on Monday night, unanimously endorsed a resolution asking that the 10-cent-a-gallon tax on wine be removed and passed on to the consumer instead of going to the wineries.

They favored a retail price of 30 cents a bottle and 1.50 a gallon for standard wine and 40 cents a bottle and \$3 a gallon for fortified wine. The growers opposed any suggestion of change in the present wine regulations, holding that it was in the interests of the wineries themselves to make the best possible wine.

Officers chosen for the year are: President, George Lee; Secretary, A. N. Rogers; directors, Frank Stewart, J. Hostetter and R. Lambert. The Wine Growers' Association was re-elected following a split in the existing Grape Growers' Association.

## CANNERS ENJOY PROFITABLE YEAR

**Canadian Canners Limited Continues To Lead Industry — Sales Higher.**

The annual report of Canadian Canners Ltd., covering operations in 1935, shows profits, before deducting bond interest, directors' fees, and taxes, as \$1,015,983.70, and net profits, \$302,451.32, which, with the surplus carried over from the previous year, makes a surplus for the fiscal year ending February 29 of 1936, \$753,181.

From this surplus the company paid \$223,067.64 in first preference dividends, and \$72,740.62 in second preference, being at the rate of 6 per cent. for the first and 20 cents a share for the second. Surplus at the year end stands at \$496,445.92.

The report states that the company continues to lead the industry and that sales for the year are higher. Satisfactory recovery of earning power in the face of severe competition is noted. Foreign markets are increasing in importance.

The directors state that publicity has been a prominent and helpful factor in maintaining favourable acceptance of the company's feature brand, Aymer, the cost of this publicity, being taken from the year's operations.

During the year mortgage bonds to the extent of \$72,000 were paid off and the bank indebtedness reduced to half the previous total. Ratio of net liquid (Continued on Page 5.)

## Robinson MacLean Addresses Business Men's Association

**Large And Representative Gathering Hears Noted Correspondent Tell of Conditions in Ethiopia And Customs of That Land Which Italy is Endeavouring to Conquer — Also Speaks To High School Students in Afternoon — Is Heartily Acclaimed at Both Gatherings — Spent Five Months in Ethiopia — Civic Welcome is Extended on Occasion of His Visit to Grimsby — Banquet Held at Village Inn on Wednesday Evening.**

Robinson MacLean, noted author and staff correspondent in Ethiopia for five months of the Toronto Evening Telegram and who in his dispatches, vividly portrayed the life and customs of the people of that land, was a welcome visitor to Grimsby on Wednesday, coming here at the invitation of the Grimsby Business Men's Association. In two addresses given, one to the students of the High School in the afternoon and the other at a large and representative gathering of the business men of the community in the evening, he captivated his audiences with his ready wit and humor and his realistic word pictures of the strange life of a strange people. Mr. MacLean was accompanied by Mr. Buckland, also of The Evening Telegram staff.

Close to one hundred including a number of ladies were assembled around the festive board at the Village Inn on Wednesday evening when Mr. MacLean was the guest speaker at the second dinner meeting of the season, held by the organization providing one of the most interesting evenings yet held by the association.

Following a delicious chicken dinner provided by this popular and widely known inn and the hearing of the toast to The King, President C. D. Millard of the Business Men's Association took occasion to extend a hearty welcome to all present. He briefly reviewed the activities carried on by the organization which included the holding of the annual Halloween Parade, civic picnics and amusements rendered the band in its recent carnival which was an outstanding success. He also referred to the desirability of forming an industrial committee of Assn. members to co-operate with the town council in securing new industries and in fostering industrial development.

Extends Civic Welcome  
Reeve Mogg extended a civic welcome to the visiting newspaperman on behalf of the municipality, acting for Mayor Lewis who was indisposed. He alluded to The Evening Telegram, the newspaper founded by the late John Ross Robertson, as one which because of its leadership had become an institution in our land and heartily welcomed the guest speaker and his associate to this historic district, the centre of the fruit belt and to the historic Village Inn.

Mr. Buckland, in his introduction of the speaker, briefly reviewed his activities as a correspondent in Ethiopia and his close association with the Emperor, unusual opportunities being afforded for securing first hand information regarding the country.

Travelled 8,000 Miles  
Mr. MacLean to whom was entrusted the task of observing and writing interesting facts concerning Ethiopia and its people by his newspaper and who travelled 8,000 miles in doing so, held the keen attention of his audience from the outset of his vivid and colorful descriptions of that land and its customs, and drew many a laugh with his witty reference to conditions as they exist there.

His revelation of things as he saw them was most illuminating.

Climate Cold — Much Disease  
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ROBINSON MACLEAN

As to agriculture the Ethiopians, he said, still farmed in the old way common to those people for thousands of years, having very crude implements. They cannot farm in the valley as the rains wash the soil away but farm on the hill tops, using oxen, the chief harvest being barley from which they make barley bread. The Ethiopians, he added, fast three times a year, five days at a time.

Italy's Campaign in Ethiopia  
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## AWAY BACK WHEN

By FRANK FAIRDORN, JR.

I'm wrong again. This time Tommy Eddie Mannell, ex-Reeve, Real Estate, Insurance for sale, etcetera, etc., says I was all haywire about the D. Marsh farm building the Carnegie library. He's right. It was the firm of Robinson and Werner that had the contract and Tommy Eddie was the foreman carpenter on the job. He was ticked up in his argument by "The Little Shoemaker," "Honey" Shotton, who claims that he was the Head "Horse Sculptor" hauling all the material onto the job. I have many doubts about that, because I doubt very much if "Honey" was old enough and big enough a quarter of a century ago to be handling a team of horses hauling heavy timber and heavy loads of lumber.

Remember the old Duvall sawmill at the foot of the Clarke street hill? There wasn't even the vestige of a house or a shanty in the hollow in those days. Just the mill.

Remember the Hewitt Flaming Mill fire? Who can tell how long ago that was. This mill and lumber yard was on Depot street behind the big double house, opposite the now Carnegie Library. The mill was never rebuilt as the citizens voted down a Bonin By-law to James Hewitt and he moved to Beamsville and started a mill and lumber yard.

Remember the old Cold Storage building on the east side of Ontario street south of the O.T.N. tracks? That

is where Linus Westerton and other growers used to store apples for shipment to England.

Remember the big celebration on Main street in 1900 on the eve of the departure for the South African war of William Adolphus "Buck" Wentworth? "Buck" was presented with a sum of money and a caddy of chewing tobacco by the loyal citizens and he made a speech that was a masterpiece of oratory, particularly when he said "Mr. Livison and Mr. Mitchell, I'm proud of you."

Next to Ancaster and Barton, Saltfleet was the earliest settled township in Wentworth county. Who the first settler was is not definitely decided, but the year was 1790. Between that year and 1790 Levi Lewis, John Pettit, Gresham Carpenter, Augustus Jones, John Biggar, John Wilson, Samuel Dean and a few others settled in a locality west of Fifty Mile Creek — now known as Fifty — between the mountains and the lake. The early history of this township is but a repetition of that of others of the county, in which the tales of the difficulties of finding a shelter for the travel-spent pioneer's head — of the troubles of erecting the first log hut — of the struggles for existence till the "cleared patch" was made and the first grain raised — of the slow approach from hardship to comfort and the gradual development into neighborhoods form the principle subjects of record. Some natural features

ple the inhabitants sweltered in the heat. On the contrary, he said, he found the climate cold. They have heavy rains for six months in the year while during the remaining 6 months there is intermittent rainfall similar to the rains in Canada. It was always cold in the mountains some of which rise to a height of 9,500 ft. Disease was prevalent throughout the land, in fact there was more disease there than in any other country in the world while insects of all kind made living there anything but pleasant.

Emperor Competent  
Mr. MacLean said he was frequently asked, Who really runs the country? In reply he said that Emperor Haile Selassie was a very competent ruler being well educated. He became well acquainted with him and found him very capable although many of those who surrounded him were incompetent, in fact he appeared to be the whole government. Haile Selassie, the "John Hay" of Mr. MacLean's famous book, was, he emphasized, the main force of the country and was endeavouring to improve conditions created by seven thousand years of feudal customs.

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## Manslaughter Case To Be Heard On Friday At Hamilton

Mechanical defect in the automobile of R. M. Lampard, St. Catharines lawyer who is defending Wylie Theal, Grimsby druggist, of a charge of manslaughter laid by Provincial Traffic Officer Ed Jess following investigation into a highway accident in the early morning of April 12 in which Florence Love of Grimsby, sustained fatal injuries, occasioned considerable delay when the case was called in magistrate's court Saturday morning.

The anxiety of Officer Jess and the accused man's bondsmen was relieved when the defendant put in an appearance about 25 minutes late.

After hastily mounting the stairs to the court room, Mr. Lampard explained to court officials that he had to turn back and get another auto when a mechanical device on his own was defective. The lawyer picked up Grimsby witnesses and rushed them to the Hamilton court. The hearing was adjourned until Friday.

The charge was laid by Officer Jess following the accident, which occurred when the car driven by Theal crashed into the rear of a Canadian National bus, carrying 20 hockey fans home from the Detroit-Toronto game. With Miss Love, who died several hours later, were Mr. Theal, Miss Florence Phillips, also of Grimsby, and Andrew Inglis, now of Altona, whom the party had motored to Hamilton to meet.

## WILL NOT RETAIN TRAFFIC OFFICER

**County Council Decides That Claude Tufford Must Relinquish Office — Reports Submitted.**

The Lincoln County Council in session last week voted a third time to send Traffic Officer Claude Tufford of Beamsville, who relinquished his post at the end of the month, At the March session Mr. Tufford was dismissed but at the April session he was given an extension of time to the end of the month.

Reeve J. Lampman, Grimsby and Reeve S. Stirling, Niagara Township, sponsored a resolution to retain the services of Mr. Tufford, citing overloading and speeding on county roads, as a reason; together with opposition expressed at the action of the council in dismissing the officer.

Reeve H. G. Mogg, Grimsby, declared it was a foolish and childish move to consider the question for a third time. He declared that council had acted originally on a recommendation of the special road committee, that action had been suggested as an economic measure, but that on the other hand there had been a veiled mystery as to the cause.

Deputy-Reeve P. Graham, North Grimsby, declared that to become the laughing stock of Ontario the county council only had to continue the discussion.

Deputy Reeve R. G. Dawson, Niagara Township, contended that the services of Mr. Tufford was required throughout the year. He repeated the remarks of Reeve Mogg that bringing the question to the fore again was a childish act.

Reeve Mogg replied that it was an imposition on the ratepayers to pay a man \$1,500 a year who spent most of his time at Port Dalhousie on the beach, and part in directing traffic for (Continued on page 5)

## H. W. Anderson Former Globe Editor Passes At Toronto

Harry W. Anderson, former managing editor of the Toronto Globe and member of the Royal Commission to investigate Canadian penitentiaries conditions, died in hospital, early Wednesday at Toronto.

The 60-year-old newspaperman who resigned from The Globe in January was operated on last Thursday. He showed definite improvement for three days but a heart condition complicated his illness and led to his death.

Harry W. Anderson was managing editor of The Toronto Globe for 10 years during which period he maintained the best traditions of that newspaper. He was tremendously interested in the human side of politics, knew intimately and was trusted implicitly by the greatest statesmen of the last 30 years, but he never could be interested in tariffs or economics or freight rates.

## INQUEST INTO HIGHWAY FATALITY

**Conflicting Evidence Given At Enquiry Into Death of Annie Quinn, Two Year Old Child — Open Verdict.**

"We, the jury, hereby agree that Annie Quinn came to her death on the afternoon of April 8th at about 2.30 o'clock through a fractured skull.

"Decensed was a passenger in an auto driven by J. J. Hearn, which collided with a truck driven by J. A. Lockhart, on No. 8 Highway, a short distance west of Hunter's Side Road, in the Township of North Grimsby."

The above verdict was given by a jury under Dr. Gordon A. Sinclair which met in the council chambers, Grimsby, on Wednesday afternoon to investigate the death of two year old Annie Quinn of Virgil who was killed in a motor accident here on April 8th, being a passenger in a car driven by J. J. Hearn which collided with a truck driven by J. A. Lockhart on No. 8 Highway. The coroner in reviewing the case commented on the conflicting evidence of witnesses.

The jury was composed of W. B. Smith, foreman, A. LePage, H. B. Metcalfe, D. C. Thomson, Vernon Turk, W. Bromley and W. Stewart.

Dr. MacMillan gave as the cause of death a fractured skull, three others being also injured in the accident. E. B. Murdoch identified photographs taken at scene of accident.

Provincial Constable Robble testified as to having investigated the accident and gave measurements of skid marks, collision occurring between car owned by J. J. Hearn, R. R. No. 1, Foxhall and a truck owned by the Cynamid Company of Niagara Falls and driven by J. A. Lockhart of that place.

Constable Robble said that skid marks from truck were eight feet from south side of road showing that truck was on its side of highway when collision occurred. The road was dry at time, visibility was good and there were no signs of liquor on any of the parties involved, said Constable Robble. His evidence was corroborated by that of Prov. Constable Jess.

J. J. Hearn, Foxhall, driver of the car in which baby was killed, was granted protection of the court on request of his solicitor, P. Sullivan of St. Catharines. He claimed that truck going in same direction as his car passed him and cut in right in front of his car and then slowed down. He (Continued on page 5)

## \$10,000 Fire At Taylor's Nursery Farm, Beamsville

Damage to the extent of \$10,000 was caused by a fire which destroyed a large barn and two other buildings on Mrs. James Taylor's Nursery farm, Tuesday evening. The blaze, believed to have originated from defective wiring on the motor truck, destroyed 40,000 feet of lumber, eight tons of hay, 2,000 fruit baskets, and only prompt work on the part of neighbours saved a team of valuable horses.

For a time, other nearby properties were threatened as the high wind carried burning shingles for more than half a mile. The Beamsville fire brigade succeeded in saving another building by the use of chemicals, but were unable to save the large barn, owing to lack of water and the great speed with which the flames spread. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

## County Music Festival Next Week

With 50 classes, the majority of them with between 10 and 20 entrants, the fourth Lincoln county musical festival to begin at Beamsville on Tuesday and lasting until Thursday evening of next week, promises to be a notable stimulus to musical aspirations in the Niagara peninsula. All morning and afternoon sessions of the competitions will be held in Knox church and the evening competitions at the community hall.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Love, Jean and Carl, take this opportunity to tender their gratitude to their many friends and neighbors for the beautiful acts of kindness rendered them in their recent and bereavement. Also to those who so kindly loaned their cars.



## A Good Lawn Requires Work

Persons who desire good lawns can have them, but it will require some effort on their part, especially in the early spring. This is the time when a little attention may make a considerable amount of work later on. Just as soon as the snow has disappeared and the soil is dry and firm enough to walk on, is the proper time to remove all dead grass by giving the lawn a good raking. This prevents the young shoots from getting smothered and aerates the soil around the roots. There need be no fear of pressing down hard on the rake handle; the grass will not be injured by rough treatment.

Early spring is the time also to fit up those bare patches with a little fresh seed. First — as there is not enough to a depth of two inches. Then broadcast grass seed evenly, cover very lightly with a sprinkling of sifted soil, pack down firmly, and water frequently with a fine spray.

Kentucky blue grass is the best and most widely used. It is used as a base for most lawn mixtures, because it is very serviceable and long wearing. One of the best grass seed mixtures for lawns consists of four parts of Kentucky blue grass and one part of Colonial bent (brown top). To this may be added one-quarter ounce of white Dutch clover, if a little clover in the lawn is desired. The above mixture is seeded at the rate of three pounds per 1,000 square feet. In order to insure getting dependable clean seed, the purchaser should always insist on Grade 1.

Lawn grass, like other living things, must have food if it is to grow normally. This food can be supplied at comparatively small cost and should be applied to the lawn just as soon as the raking and seeding has been done. There are on the market a number of ready mixed fertilizers, practically all of which will produce good results. It is important to apply fertilizer very evenly and at the rates specified on the containers, because satisfactory results cannot be expected by applying in one place where five pounds are recommended and five cents. As soon as the fertilizer has been applied it should be well watered in, care being taken to use a fine spray so that the seed is not disturbed in the newly seeded areas. On these seeded areas the ground should be kept moist, but not flooded, for about two weeks so that the young plants have a chance to become established.

Cutting should be regular and should start just as soon as the grass is long enough to allow the mower to function properly. It is a mistake to allow the grass to grow over two inches long at any time. When cutting it is advisable to use a grass cutter and remove all cuttings. This material does harm by forming a mat around the crown of the grass plants thus smothering young shoots and it is also helps weeds to spread, as weed seeds are generally present in the cuttings and, if not removed, soon become established.

## Come-Backs

Fourteen thousand more ships were made in Canada in 1934 than in 1933. The fact is of importance only because it is symptomatic of the revival in the harness and saddlery industry, during recent years. All products in the industry have shared in the increased demand including harness sets, collars, saddles, harnesses, horse blankets and sweat pads. During 1934 factory sales increased by \$275,876 over 1933. In spite of confident predictions to the contrary, the horse has not been eliminated by the automobile and the tractor, and a recent census indicates that it is holding its own.

Fortifications that disappear and inventions would supplant and destroy other industries have been similarly foisted. It was foretold that the piano would disappear before the gramophone, and the gramophone before the radio, whereas neither has been wiped out, and the piano in particular has staged an almost sensational come-back. Tooth paste edged out the tooth powder of a generation ago, but today the powder is with us once more. Candles were assumed to be killed by gas, and gas by electricity. There is a bigger industry in candles, for decorative purposes, than ever before; and illuminating gas never had a fraction of the market which cooking gas now enjoys. Manufacturers of another "old timer," the bicycle, anticipate record sales this summer.

Some of these recoveries have been due to circumstances but most of them have been caused by aggressive merchandising that has re-designed the old product into a modern convenience, and by advertising. It is axiomatic that an industry dies when its manufacturers are alert to snatch victory out of defeat.

— Marketing, Toronto.

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By PEARL BELLAIRS

JOHN HENRY of humble origin, is introduced as a social equal of Miss Georgina La Fontaine, rather than as her secretary. She marries him, and he, in turn, forces his attention on her. Lord Edwards proposes to Joan, Joan rejects him. Miss La Fontaine is to become a matron at the Hotel Ontario. The Hennessey take Joan and her family for a cruise around the world.

Joan is horrified when confining to Hennessey with a blackmail letter from her father. He proposes that she marry him.

He put his hand on her arm, with a grip of steel which belied the cheerful amiability of his voice:

"The way in your room is up those stairs!"

Joan went up, without a word. She switched on the rose shaded light in the bedroom, and sat down on the end of the bed. She heard him return to the sitting room down below. She sat there, in the unfamiliar room, listening. She went and shut the door, and then looked at her trunk, wondering whether to open them. She set her teeth, and going to the smaller trunk, found it empty. All her clothes were put out in the drawers, she discovered; and there on the pillow she caught sight of a neatly folded bundle—the pyjamas which had been given to her when she left the Hotel Ontario.

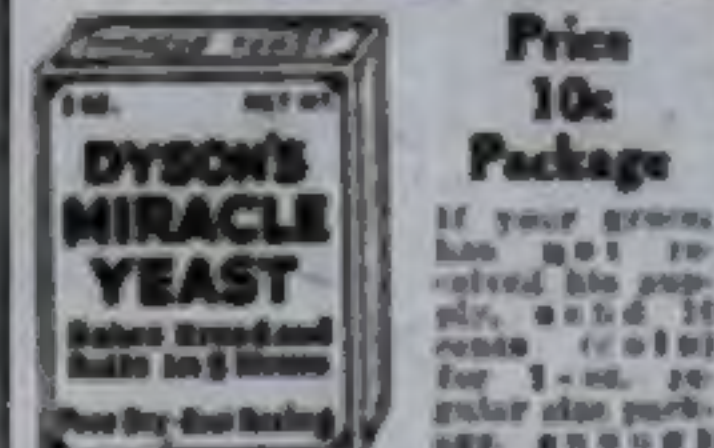
She went to them, looked at them, hesitated, and then picked them up, sat down again on the edge of the bed, where she sat, with fear and misery, listening. A soft tread from her, another and another burst from her, as she by bitter weeping drew herself on her face on the bed, her cheek pillowed in the soft, gleaming satin of the pyjamas.

She hardly knew how long it was that she lay there crying, but she cried and cried. She could not stop. She did not hear Hennessey come up the stairs, but she heard him open the door and enter; she sat up in the bed.

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Opening it he withdrew some folded sheets of paper which he handed to her.

"And you'd better take those," he added. "You'll be happier, I expect, when you've destroyed them."

Joan looked at them. They were the two blackmailing letters which Denby had sent to Hennessey, and which he believed to constitute the hold he had upon her.

She began to smile.

"They don't matter any more," she said, not looking at him, but smoothing the letters with her forefinger as they lay open on the bed. "You can't get Denby now!"

"Why?" The question was startled out of him.

"He's gone to America."

"When?"

"Last night," replied Joan faintly. There was a long pause.

"What do you mean?" asked Hennessey. "Then why?"

Still tracing a pattern on the offending letters with her finger, and not daring to look at him, Joan went on:

"He won't say father, either, you know!"

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## Physical Defects In Young Common

SWANSEA, Ont.—Of 24,000 public school children examined in Toronto during 1933, 9,000 were found to have physical defects, according to Miss Margaret Gould, general secretary of the Toronto Child Welfare Council. These entering public school have a larger percentage of defects than those in high school, Miss Gould declared.

"Georgina told me that ages ago. But I thought you didn't know; I imagined that I was tricking you into this, as well as forcing you—!" He broke off. "So you know all the time. You know, and you—!"

He came nearer to her and stood over her.

"Why did you go on with this?" he asked, in a voice unlike his own, so laden was it with overpowering, incredible hope.

Joan put out her hand, and blindly taking his, pressed it against her cheek, rocking to and fro, while her tears fell, as though through his hand she would comfort him; every wound she had ever given him.

THE END

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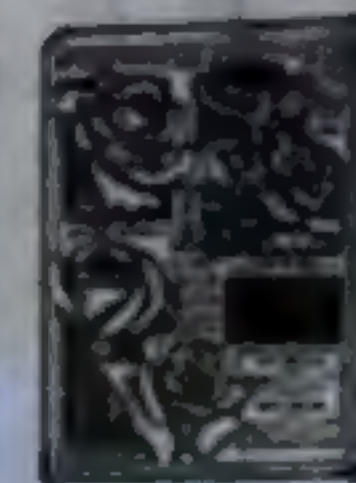
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## What Is a Boy?

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—Author Unknown.

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During the past week there have been many requests for exercises which will correct bad posture. Here are two important ones which though done only two or three times a day for one month, will remove the hollow from your back, make your stomach flat and give you a good deal smaller or:

1. Lie flat on the floor with arms at your sides and knees bent so weight of the legs is on balls of feet. Now, begin at the nape of the neck, press each vertebra, except the last four or five at the base of the spinal column flat against the floor. Turn these last four upward from the floor. As you do so, pull your stomach in as far as it will go. If you do it correctly there will be absolutely no space between the middle of your back and the floor.

Hold the position a few seconds, then relax, lowering the legs. Repeat two or three times. This teaches you correct posture. You should stand as you were lying—base of spinal column curved forward, hips turned in, stomach flat and shoulders square.

When you have finished, stand about a foot away from a flat wall, facing the middle of the room. Keeping your feet together, let your neck fall backward against the flat surface, then, vertebra by vertebra, flatten the entire length of your back, bones against the wall. That is, all except four or five links at the base. These should not touch at all, but should be turned forward and up so the center of the back will be flat.

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## Local Items of Interest

Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, L.O.E., will hold a Bunko Sale on May 23rd. Further particulars later.

In police court on Tuesday, John R. Hudson, Beamsville, was assessed \$14.00 for operating a car on Main Street with defective brakes. Constable Turner was the complainant.

An organization meeting of the Fruitbelt Softball League will be held here on Friday evening at nine o'clock, Doughty Savings Time. Representatives from the various teams, including Stoney Creek, Beamsville, Grimsby Beach, Smithville and St. Anne, as well as Grimsby, are expected to attend.

The L.O.E. will hold their regular bridge at the home of Mrs. Lawson, Maple Ave., on May 4, at 2.45.

In last week's court, R. Malock, Robinson Street was fined \$12.25 when he was convicted of assault but being unable to raise the funds, he was given 10 days in jail. The complainant was Mary Walicki. On charges of speeding through the town, John Raymond, Sharnoff Street, Hamilton and R. L. Raymond, 192 Gerrard Street, Toronto, were each fined \$4.50.

St. Andrew's W.A., will hold a Rummage Sale on Saturday, May 30, in the James Block.

The Canadian Girls in Training will have charge of the evening service in Trinity United Church on Mothers' Day, May 10th. Miss Ruby Brown, Director of Religious Education at Zion Church, Bradford, will be the speaker.

On Monday evening last about fifty members of the Mount Hamilton Young People's Society were guests of Trinity United Young People's Society here when a game in the third round of a series of Biblical baseball contests being conducted in the district, was played, resulting in a win for the visitors. The devotional period at the beginning of the meeting was in charge of the visiting society, Miss McVittie, the president, presiding. A social hour was afterwards enjoyed, refreshments being served by the local organization. Upwards of one hundred were in attendance at the meeting.

The local fire department was called out on Sunday for the first time in several weeks to a chimney fire at a lake shore residence.

Paintings of the noted Canadian Artist, Homer Watson, R.C.A., are on exhibit at his art gallery, Deen, near Preston, and the public is cordially invited to a special sale of pictures now in progress. His friends will regret to learn that Mr. Watson who is in his 82nd year, is confined to his bed through continued illness.

A most interesting talk given by Rev. E. A. Earchman on the subject, "The Mind of the Child" was enjoyed by some thirty mothers at the Mothers' club held on Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Stevenson's home. A social half hour was spent after which lunch was served by the Committee in charge. The May meeting, with Mrs. Garrett as the speaker, will be held at Mrs. L. Brownley's home.

On May 1 and thereafter, for the balance of the season motorists and pedestrians need to be on the lookout for the stop light at the corner of Main and Depot Streets, at which time it is to be turned on.

**JUNIOR INSTITUTE MEETS**  
The Raintree Junior Institute held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. J. E. Jones. The roll call was answered by "A trip I would like to take," and Miss Pearl Krick gave an interesting account of her recent trip to British Columbia. The final meeting of the institute bridge club will be held at the home of Mrs. Ivan Davey on May 26.

## PLEASE CLEAN-UP YOUR CEMETERY

The annual Spring clean-up of Queen's Lawn Cemetery is now on, and all lot and grave owners are requested to move all winter decorations, such as boxes, wreaths and stands, etc., not later than May 11, 1936.

**JOHN H. DICK,**  
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**FOR SALE**—New beds, floor coverings, Treadwell range (oval fire pot) and other household effects. L. Schofield, Ridge Road, Grimsby. 11p

**FOR SALE**—Open buggy and harness, washing machine, 2 bedroom suites, 1 dining-room suite, oak, 18 pieces, 2 Morris chairs, 1 walnut library table, 1 black leather couch, 1 victrola and records, 2 side tables, 1 sewing machine (Raymond), 1 refrigerator, 6 kitchen chairs, 5 bedroom chairs, 1 rug, 12 1/2 (Wilson), 1 roll stair carpet, 1 throw rug, 1 small heater (Radiant), 1 small kitchen range, 1 rocking chair, 1 bedroom chest, 1 table lamp. Inquire L. Larsen, 74 Livingston Ave., Call 4373. 11p

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### OWNERS MAY HAVE TO PAY

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Wednesday - Thursday, May 6 - 7  
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Historical  
Reminances  
of  
Grimsby  
Township

By Myrtle A. Bean  
CHAPTER IV

Grimsby Village — Autumn 1850

Installation 28

The next morning early, after prayers, Nathan hurried out to the barn to hitch up Nigger and go down to William Beamer's farm.

"No," said his father, "Old Ben will do to bring back the apples, and if you're back by noon, I think we can manage."

Nathan wanted Nigger but he started off in the crisp morning air riding high on the seat of his wagon, whistling, and in jubilant spirits. He liked going to Beamer's. There was always so much going on. The homestead was very large. Now since the big wing had been added for the old folks, the daughter, Margaret, who had married Ira Childer, lived in the main part. But the barn especially were of interest to Nathan. He thought their mysterious depths contained every thing one could need for farming.

Farmers from far and near came to this old farm homestead in the Fall of each year, the big cider press, invented by William Beamer, being the main attraction, and they came to have their own surplus apples made into cider. Many farmers by this time, besides having sweet cherries and some peach trees, also had quite good-sized apple orchards, consisting mostly of Fall apples that would not keep through the winter and many rotted

on the ground.

It was this waste that led William Beamer to inventing a cider press to use up this surplus in his own orchard. It was the grand old orchard and the product of the seedlings which his father had planted in the small roughly-cleared oasis of the unconquered forest in 1786 now grown to large trees and bearing heavily.

Farmers needed to be jacks-of-all-trades, but William Beamer was an exceptional inventor, turning out the spinning wheel or a wagon or cider press, whatever was needed. The height of his skill however was reached when he made the first reaping machine. It was big and very heavy, taking at least four horses to pull it around, but was used to good advantage for many years.

For this cider press a very large standing walnut tree near the orchard was used. He cut a big opening into the trunk into which the one end of a thirty-foot oak log was mortised horizontally. The other end was held up by two heavy upright pieces of scantling, notched so the log could be let down as desired. Underneath this horizontal log was placed a big vat filled with cut up apples. Planks and blocks were placed on top of the apples and were built up to reach the log which was then loosened notch by notch. As the weight of the log descended the cider was pressed out from the apples, the liquid running out the spout in the bottom of the vat into a large tub placed in a big hole in the ground immediately under the vat.

Today all was life and bustle around the big farm. It being Saturday, Beamer, about Nathan's age, and William Beamer from the Point were helping with the apples; also Willie Finn. He, like Willie, was smaller but he had begged to come.

The vat was full, the blocks packed in and once again the big lever was loosened and descended.

A childish shout came from the fence, and a small, sturdy figure with delightful countenance came running across the field to join them.

"There's Juddy. I told him not to come," said his brother.

"He won't hurt anybody," commented Nathan. He liked the little boy.

"He gets in the way," persisted Bill. "He had an idea as he could find in his hand, and when he reached the cider press he immediately flopped on the ground, flat on his stomach, and began drawing up cider through the straw from the tub which was by this time full of cider. Bill, seeing his chance, and still innocent at his coming, jumped his little body down into the cider. The little fellow got up, cider mixed with tears streaming down his face, and knowing a fight to be futile, he cried out loudly so that all could hear.

"I told him he wasn't to come," retorted Will to the scoldings that came to him on every side.

"You're not so big yourself," said Nathan.

"I'm six," said Will stoutly. "Never mind, Juddy, if you stop crying I'll take you back with me, and you can see Carrie all afternoon. Run back now and ask your mother, I'll see you get home all right."

Bright smiles shone through the tears at this prospect, but before starting for home he found another straw and looking around to see that Bill wasn't near he finished his drink of sweet cider.

(To be continued)

## ST. ANDREW'S A.Y.P.A. NEWS

St. Andrew's A.Y.P.A. entertained St. Andrew's A. Y. P. A. of Hamilton Beach on Monday evening in the Parish Hall, when about eighty were present including five members of the Lincoln and Wollast Local Council. The visitors were accorded a hearty welcome by the president, David Biggar, after which the meeting was turned over to Ian Murdoch, as chairman of the program. The Junior W. A. presented a play entitled, "A Bit of Nonsense," and Messrs. David Biggar and Vernon Croft favored with a guitar duet. A piano solo by Mr. Doug Adams and a reading by Miss Florence Laing were also much enjoyed. The visiting society contributed to the program with an enjoyable melodrama, after which games were played. Following the serving of refreshments the balance of the evening was spent in dancing.

## THE WESTMINSTER CLUB

The Westminster Club of St. John's Presbyterian Church held their last regular meeting for the season in the Church Rooms, Monday night. The president, Miss May Critchenden presided. Reports of the Conference of the Hamilton Presbytery Young People's Society, held in Dundas last week, were given by the delegates, Miss May Critchenden and Miss Janet Flett. Mrs. A. Smith, convener of the Missionary committee, had charge of the programme. The guest speaker for the evening was Miss Beulah Nelson, who gave a most interesting talk on "Casting Shadows." Rev. Harvey Merritt of the Baptist Church, was guest soloist, singing a selection in keeping with the topic, which was very much enjoyed.

The Club are planning to close with a Hard Time Party on Monday night and would like every member present.

## COMMUNICATION

To The Editor,  
The Independent.

Dear Sir:

There appeared in a daily paper recently an item regarding speed through Grimsby by automobile and truck drivers. Everybody apparently knows just what is everybody's business is nobody's business.

Critics on the American borders east and west of us found out years ago that traffic was getting out of control and something drastic had to be done and on Monday of last week over two hundred passed through the court at Detroit for speeding, reckless driving, drunk driving, etc. People will say this is a large city but forget that the Niagara Highway is the heaviest travelled highway in Canada and this is not exaggerated. Take the City of Hamilton. They found they had to establish a traffic court two years ago and this has become a very popular place for drivers of cars who persist in breaking the rules.

Take for instance buses stopping in town. Mostly every day these buses stop outside of the parked traffic forcing cars passing them to drive on the wrong side to get by. My suggestion is to place parking signs at these stops to a distance to accommodate two or more buses to park at the curb and those in authority to see that this is lived up to. The other alternative would be to move them off the highway or Main Street to a regular depot. Another suggestion is to stop the needless blowing of bus horns arriving at stops. If passengers know and they should know when a bus leaves they will be there waiting to take it. If busses are required let the driver notify bus passengers when the bus will leave again. In this article spoken of, it was stated that if a check was put on traffic going through town everybody motoring would just pass the town up. Well they are passing through at a great clip. A local man going to Toronto passed through three towns and got three tickets amounting to \$22.00 not for speeding but for

## Social and Personal

Mr. William Patterson is visiting in Winnipeg.

Mr. E. H. Griffith is home from Buffalo for a few days.

Mr. Thomas Smith, of Toronto was a weekend visitor in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis are visiting their son in town for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stephen left Sunday afternoon for their new home in Montreal.

Mrs. Jessie Feltner has returned to Grimsby after spending the winter months in Toronto.

Mrs. Orchard and her sister of Toronto, have opened their cottage at the Beach for the summer season.

Mr. Clifford Morris, of Oshawa, spent the weekend with his parents, Grimsby Beach.

Mrs. W. W. Grace is visiting her sister, Miss D. Fallowbridge, in Toronto.

Mrs. William Farrow spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Fred You and family, Hamilton.

Friends of Mr. James, Lake Street, will be sorry to learn he is confined to his bed through illness.

Mrs. E. E. Bechtel is visiting her daughters and friends in Waterloo and Kitchener for a month.

Miss Jean Boyer, of Kitchener has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boyer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Furman have returned to their home after spending several months down south and a month with their daughter in Toronto.

Mr. James Jenkinson has returned after an enjoyable three weeks' vacation spent with relatives at North Conway, N.H.

Mrs. S. J. Way, regent, represented Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, L.O.B.E., at the Provincial meeting held in Hamilton on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Miss May Critchenden and Miss Janet Flett were in Dundas for a few days last week attending The Hamilton Presbytery Young People's Society Conference, which was held in Knox Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. J. P. McFarland with her two sons, Gordon and Ross, returned over from Chicago to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foulhead. Mrs. Foulhead has been confined to her bed through the winter months and is improving.

The Central Council of the Niagara Peninsula Senatorium held a meeting at the Nurses' residence of the St. Catherine's Senatorium on April 22, which was attended by Mrs. Fitch, president of the Women's Institute and the Grimsby Seal Sales Secretary, Mrs. H. Crawford.

Miss Audrey Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer, has gained additional recognition with her pet show, "Black Beauty of K". In the Hamilton Dog Show held in the Barton Street Arena, Hamilton, recently, her entry was awarded 1 first; 1 reserve winner and 1 second prize. Miss Palmer is the proud possessor of many trophies which her pet has won in other years.

The Berian Bible Class of the Grimsby Baptist Church held a social evening last Friday, April 24, at the home of Mrs. H. Barnim. After the usual business of the month was transacted the meeting took the form of a Birthday Party celebrating the anniversary of the oldest and most respected and loved member of the class in the person of Mrs. Mary Culp. Mr. Wumbold gave a short treat and Mrs. Culp's daughter, Mrs. Charles Walker, very ably responded for her mother. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

exceeding the speed limit. A couple of weeks after he went to Toronto again. He stopped in one of these towns and had dinner on this bus which was into a cocked hat.

The time is ripe for traffic regulations through the town and the proper check up made.

It is not the intention of this letter to find fault. It is a Safety First thought. The railroads found they had to install every known device for the protection of life and limb and they own their right of way and trespassers were dealt with accordingly but this Main Street is every man's highway but we apparently have no check on the enormous amount of traffic.

Safety First.

## OBITUARY

Murray Martin

The death occurred on Thursday morning of Murray Martin, husband of Irene Martin and son of Mrs. Martin and the late John Martin. The deceased had been ill only a few days with pneumonia. He was in his 49th year. He is survived by his wife, his mother and one sister, Mrs. Lorne Deagle. The funeral took place from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nummamer, Rev. C. F. Allright conducted the service at the home and graveside. Mrs. D. M. Roth sang Shadows during the service. Joseph Wismer, James Cline, Bertram Nummamer, John Wismer, Larry Shannon and Orval Huesterger were pallbearers.

## DIED AT CAMDEN

Sidney F. Meyer, aged 55 years, of Camden, was found dead in his motor car in church shed at that place on Wednesday. Dr. Elmore investigated the death. No inquest will be held. The late Mr. Meyer was born in Camden but had lived in Hamilton for thirty years returning to Camden about three years ago.

## WILL NOT RETAIN TRAFFIC OFFICER

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a Hamilton butcher. He declared he was tired of being approached outside to vote to retain Mr. Telford.

Revere Alan Goff, Chisholm, declared he did not think the services of Mr. Telford necessary.

Revere John Lampman, Galtwhorpe, declared he had yet to find one man in his municipality who favored the dismissal of the traffic officer. The services of Mr. Telford, he held, were necessary.

Vote Against Retaining Officer

The vote on the resolution was recorded as follows:

Moved by Mr. Lampman, seconded by Mr. Stirling, that in view of the fact that the Roads in this County have cost a large amount of money and need to be protected from over-loaded trucks, etc., and the County of Lincoln have no means for weighing them, and apparently the majority of the ratepayers in the outlying Townships do not approve of the action taken by this Council in dispensing with the services of the County Traffic Officer, who could check up on excessive speeding and regulate driving during the summer months, be it therefore resolved that his services be continued as heretofore.

Upon which the Council divided.  
Yeas — Messrs. Stirling, Dawson, Mack, Young, Kennedy Farrell, Lampman.

Nays — Messrs. Harrison, Blackwood, Notholt, Nicholson, Culp, Goff, Mogg, Graham and the Warden.

The Warden declared the motion lost.

The following reports were presented and adopted:

Finance

That the Hospital accounts be paid on the O. K. of the chairman.

That the Auditor's report be received and adopted and printed in the Minutes.

That no action be taken with regard to an increase in the amount of the Treasurer's Bond.

That the amount due the Town of Grimsby on account of Tullion of County Pupils and also Road Rebates be applied on County Rates due the County.

That the account of S. R. Cruickshank amounting to \$400.00 be paid.

Education Audit

The Education Audit Committee met at the Court House in the City of St. Catharines, on Friday, April 17th, at two o'clock, P.M. for the transaction of general business.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

Niagara Falls Collegiate Institute \$ 111.84

Niagara Falls Vocational School 72.69

St. Catharines Collegiate Institute 4,314.16

St. Catharines Vocational School 3,417.96

St. Catharines Evening Classes 27.57

Caledonia High School 58.93

Grimsby High School 19,839.32

Roads

That the matter of the building of the Rinkside Bridge be left in the hands of the Special Road Committee.

That the recommendation of the Road Committee re fences be adopted.

Agriculture

That the communication from Mr. Walmsley be filed.

That the resolution from the County of Prince Edward be ordered.

That the resolution submitted by the Orange Growers' Association be filed.

Assessment

That the Warden be authorized to appoint a Committee of three members and the County Treasurer to examine the Assessment Rolls of the different municipalities of the County of Lincoln, said Committee to report to this Council at the next regular meeting.

## WINDOW SHADES

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## ROBINSON MacLEAN ADDRESSES BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION

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a case of the Italian people defeating Mussolini and not Mussolini defeating the Ethiopian people. He made reference to the boats which under cover of night stole to Italian islands with loads of Italian dying and wounded, many suffering from disease and estimated the number at about a third of the army operating in Ethiopia.

People at home were kept in ignorance of the true state of affairs. He expressed doubt that Mussolini would take Addis Ababa. Ethiopia towns, he averred, were worth but a few cents, consisting of but a few huts. Mussolini had utilized the war chiefly to divert thoughts of Italians from unemployment in his own land. The Italian anti-war youth gave evidence of being tired of war and had to be strictly disciplined in order to keep up their fighting spirit. He believed that Mussolini had been misinformed as to the task which lay before him when he embarked on a campaign to conquer Ethiopia, it having been represented as a fat land ready to fall into his lap while on the contrary it was for the most part more or less of a barren country.

Have No Air Force

He referred to the fact that Ethiopia had practically no air force, it consisting of thirteen planes and alluded to the statement that the Italians couldn't occupy the country from the air. He also noted that the Ethiopians were not terrorized by the modern implements of warfare used against them, having captured Italian tanks and other war equipment.

Would Abolish Practices

In concluding his address, Mr. Mac-

Lean referred to the efforts of the Emperor of Ethiopia to do away with barbarous funeral practices setting an example to his people on the death of his daughter several years ago in an endeavour to induce them to abandon these practices.

Exhibits Native Costume

Mr. MacLean showed the costume worn by the Ethiopian including cloak, raincoat, sword and shield in which the audience exhibited much interest.

Address Heartily Appreciated

At the conclusion of Mr. MacLean's address C. E. Bean, on behalf of the assembled gathering, expressed hearty appreciation of the rare privilege afforded in having as their guest this noted author and correspondent and the unique opportunity furnished of being informed at first hand of conditions in East Africa on which the attention of the world is at present centered. The resolution was very heartily endorsed by those present.

Speaks At High School

In the afternoon at the High School Mr. MacLean spoke to the students and his highly interesting address on Ethiopia, its people and customs, was very much appreciated by being heartily acclaimed by the students. Mr. C. D. Mittyard, president of the Grimsby Business Men's Association, referred to the honor of having so noted a correspondent visit Grimsby and the service being rendered the public by the Evening Telegram of Toronto which he represented, I. J. Souder of which had displayed commendable public spirit in his support of such deserving institutions as the Sick Children's Hospital and in his encouragement of sport evidenced by his donation of trophies to the O. M. A. Principal Clarry of the High School, also spoke briefly in welcoming Mr. MacLean.

Mr. Bechtel introduced the speaker to the students.

Among the interested listeners to Mr. MacLean's address was Mr. J. A. Jackson, now a resident of Grimsby, who spent about nine years in Kenya, just below the Ethiopian border.

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## Ottawa Hospital Receives Bequest

Daughter of Sir John A. MacDonald Endows Four-bed Women's Ward

OTTAWA.—A bequest of \$22,544.88 from the estate of Mrs. Mary Theodora MacDonald, daughter of Sir John A. MacDonald, Canada's first premier, who died in England some months ago, is to be used for endowment of a four-bed public ward in the women's department of the Ottawa Civic Hospital.

An invalid from early childhood, Mrs. MacDonald went to England with her mother, Barbara MacDonald, of Kilmarnock, after the death of her father in 1891. When her mother died she donated the letter of sympathy written by Queen Victoria at the time of Sir John MacDonald's death to the archives in Ottawa, and in several other ways showed her affection for Canada.

Lady MacDonald was active in the work of religious and philanthropic enterprises and this gift will mark in a permanent manner the charity of the distinguished family.

On the door of the room a plate will be placed with this inscription: "Mary MacDonald bequeathed, endowed by the late Honorable Mary Theodora MacDonald, daughter of Sir John A. MacDonald, first Prime Minister of the Dominion of Canada."

## Will Modernize British Cruisers

LONDON.—The Admiralty has decided to increase the armaments of a number of modernized British cruisers. The Admiralty has decided to increase the armaments of a number of modernized British cruisers.

Since they are cruisers of the "A" type, which Great Britain pledged herself not to build under the terms of the new London naval treaty, they will be furnished only with 4-inch guns instead of 7.5 inch batteries which they now carry, the newspaper stated.

All three ships will be equipped with new and more powerful anti-aircraft batteries, the newspaper asserted. The Kilmarnock displaces 2,750 tons, the Frobenius 2,500 and the Hawke 2,500.

## SPORT IDOLS



Over the Rope

The "Mormon Flash" Dean Detton is a wrestler you are going to hear from in the very near future.

"Dangerous Dean" as he was called in New Zealand and Australia, is the latest sensation in the wrestling world.

Dean began his wrestling career in 1927 as a welterweight, while attending the University of Utah.

In 1929 he won all his bouts in the heavyweight class and in 1931 wrestled his first professional match.

Dean is 27 years old, weighs 215 pounds, stands 6 feet and has been in the "grunt and grunt" game for 9 years. His favorite holds are the "tee-hold" and the "screw-plug."

Ed "Strangler" Lewis, five times world's champion, was defeated recently by this clever home-buster.

Joe Detton, Dean's father, held the light weight title for the Pacific Coast.

Dean has recently thrown Jim Brown, Roderic Stubb, Hans Holmke, Hank Becher, Ed "Strangler" Lewis and others.

## Canada's Export Balance is Large

Increase in Trade During Last Fiscal Year Revealed

OTTAWA.—Canadian trade jumped ahead in the fiscal year ended in March, it was shown by the National Revenue Department. The Government closed its books at the year-end with an export balance of \$299,729,289.

Exports of Canadian products in the 12-month period totaled \$743,651,622, and imports, \$443,922,333. In the year ended March 31, 1933, exports were valued at \$630,800,994 and imports \$327,414,544. A comparison of the two years shows both imports and exports increased in 1933-34 particularly foreign sales.

A scrutiny of imports showed slightly less than half entered Canada from the United States, with a value of \$309,946,542.

In the month of March, exports totaled \$72,677,323 and imports, \$32,001,723.

## Wheat and Clover Wintered Well

Early Spring Winds Browning Crops But No Serious Damage Expected

Fall wheat and clover crops came through the winter well in most Ontario counties, according to the weekly crop report of the Provincial Department of Agriculture. Cold winds and frosty nights of the early spring, however, browned the crop considerably.

From some districts came reports of high mortality in young piglets. The counties of Bruce, Halton, Frontenac and Hastings reported considerable losses but pigs were strong in Muskoka and Parry Sound.

Harvesting of fall wheat and clover plants took place in Halton but other sections reported the crops in good condition although so far there had been little growth.

Rabbits and mice damaged orchards in all parts of the province. In Durham County they attacked ornamental shrubbery also. Thorn bushes, young trees and wood growth along ditch lands in Lambton were gnawed by mice.

There was no record of work being started on the land but they County expects ideal conditions should warm weather arrive. Continued winter conditions in the Sudbury district led to the belief no work would be done on the soil before May.

## 2,000 Canadians Going Into Films

Revelstoke District Residents To Be Extras in British Movie

NEW YORK.—Some 2,000 Canadians, of the Revelstoke district in British Columbia, are going into motion pictures.

It was announced by Gaumont British films here that number of extras would be hired for the filming in that part of the province of a story relating to the building of the transcontinental railway, in Canada's pioneer days.

A number of technicians are already at Revelstoke taking "exterior shots" for the vehicle, in which Richard Arlen will star. Arlen and the supporting cast are now filming sequences in England. They will sail for the Dominion later.

## Westerners Could Give Torontonians Points in Baby Race

REGINA.—If two Saskatchewan mothers were eligible for Toronto's \$500,000 "baby race," they would give the eastern city contestants something to worry about.

Mrs. John Kilmartin, Lehart, Sask., recently gave birth to twin boys, and swelling the number of children to 17 in 21 years of married life. All the family are in excellent health. Mrs. Kilmartin married at 15 and is now 32.

While Mrs. J. P. Bennett, of Wilton, Sask., has only been married some eight and a half years, her family now consists of eight children, all alive and well. She married in August, 1927. Her youngest child is five months old.

Mrs. Kilmartin not only is proud of being the mother of 17 children, but she also claims to be one of the youngest grandmothers in the province, assuming the title at 33 following the marriage of one of her daughters.

## The Queen and Her Youngest Grandchildren



This charming picture was taken in January before King George's last illness. It is particularly interesting now, in view of the fact that the Princess Elizabeth and Margaret Rose, daughters of the heir presumptive, the Duke of York, are second and third in line for succession to the throne. Little Prince Edward, son of the Duke and Duchess of Kent, is sixth in the order of succession. He is first Prince born to the House of Windsor, for it was only in June, 1917, that his late Majesty announced the assumption to that name.

## Fund for Draegermen In Mine Rescue Doubled

Steady Stream of Donations Brings Total to \$26,000 — London Iveys Give \$1,000 — Firm Help.

TORONTO.—A flood of new contributions to the Moose River Rescue Fund is pouring into the Canadian Red Cross headquarters at 521 Jarvis Street, bringing the total up to \$26,000.

The universal appeal of the spontaneous move to present a token of appreciation to the workers who aided in the rescue of Dr. D. E. Robertson and Alfred Scadding from the Moose River mine, was reflected in the wide fluctuation of individual contributions (from 25 cents to \$1,000) and in the variety of sources whence the gifts came.

Outstanding amongst the donations was \$1,000 received from C. H. Ivey and R. G. Ivey of London, brothers of Mrs. Robertson, while similar \$1,000 contributions were also sent in by the International Nickel Company and J. H. Hammill, mining magnate and head of Northern Aerial Canada Gold Limited.

Below appears a day by day recount of the dramatic rescue of the two men:

SUNDAY, APRIL 15.—Dr. D. E. Robertson and Herman Magill, mine owners, and Charles Alfred Scadding, timekeeper, entombed by a cave-in at Moose River gold mine.

MONDAY, APRIL 16.—Rescue work started. Snobs indicated men still alive.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17.—Cave-in delayed excavation of Meagher slope.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18.—Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Magill arrived from Toronto. New excavations rushed.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19.—Commencement; hole started with diamond drill.

FRIDAY, APRIL 20.—Emergency hospital unit set up and more rescue workers arrived.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21.—Diamond drill penetrated prison tunnel and drillers believed they heard signals.

SUNDAY, APRIL 22.—The voices of Robertson and Scadding disclosed they still lived and food was sent down the drill hole.

MONDAY, APRIL 23.—The prisoners reported Magill had died and that rising water threatened them. Abandoning all caution, rescuers re-



Dr. D. E. Robertson, chief surgeon of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, who with Herman R. Magill, young Toronto mine manager, and Alfred Scadding, were trapped in a mine beneath tons of strata at Moose River, N.S., for over 240 hours of hunger, exposure and dread.

entered the dangerous Reynolds shaft.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24.—Rescuers reached main operating shaft. Dr. Robertson asked for a fountain pen, presumably to write a will.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25.—Dr. Robertson estimated he could last another 48 hours. Rescuers talked to the imprisoned men through the last thin rock wall, then broke through.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26.—Rescue completed. Dr. Robertson and Scadding brought to the surface, the former crawling part of the way. Magill's body recovered.

## New Postmaster Named For Kitchener Office

KITCHENER.—T. H. Macpherson, on the staff of the Kitchener Postoffice for the past twenty-five years, will be the new Postmaster, it was announced here. He succeeds Fred Davey, who died last September. Mr. Macpherson rose through the various positions, reaching the rank of senior clerk in January, 1928. He has been Acting Postmaster since Mr. Davey's death.

## Nursing Heroine Battles Bitter Cold To Reach Patient

MOORE JAW.—A 45-mile journey along an open railway track, car and cutter in bitter subzero weather is all in the day's work to Nurse Ella Little of La Pléche, Sask., when a patient's life is at stake.

The story of Miss Little's devotion to duty, which resulted in frozen chin hands and nose to herself when she went to the aid of an 84-year-old man at Kilmad, Sask., has just come to light.

Setting out from La Pléche, 78 miles southwest of Moose Jaw, she battled on icy wind for 36 miles on an open railway trolley. A scarf wrapped round her head gave little protection against 35-below zero weather.

On arrival at Kilmad she travelled the remaining 12 miles by car and by cutter, and reached the aged patient.

Nurse Little graduated from the Grey Nuns' hospital in Regina in 1921.

Before undertaking her railway journey she was required to sign a statement releasing the railway completely from all responsibility.

## Mourning Period In London Ends

Queen's Wishes In This Respect Set Precedent In Social History

LONDON.—By the express wish of Queen Mary, everyone not connected with the court went out of mourning for King George after Easter.

Hopes for a brilliant social season in London this summer have thus been revived, with the success of many traditional events assured.

The Queen's wishes in this respect, setting a precedent in social history, were communicated through Lady Howard de Walden, one of London's leading hostesses, at a party given in her home in Belgrave Square.

The announcement set at rest fears that tourist trade and the success of such events as the Covent Garden Opera, the horse show, Henley and Wimbledon, would be interfered with by public mourning for the late King.

It is now taken for granted that Queen Charlotte's Hospital ball will be the first big social function in London at which the 1936 debutantes will be seen out of mourning.

Canvasser: "You pay a small deposit, then you make no more payments for six months."

Lady of the house: "What told you about us?"

## THE MARKETS

### PRODUCE PRICES

United Farmers' Co-operative Co. Saturday were paying the following prices for produce:

EGGS—Prices to producers, cash returned basis, delivered Toronto: "A" large ..... 18c "A" medium ..... 16c "B" ..... 15c "C" ..... 14c

BUTTER—No. 1 Ontario solids, 21c; No. 2, 20½c.

### POULTRY

(Quotations in cents)

Items	Live		Dressed	
	"A"	"B"	"A"	"B"
Oven 5 lbs. ....	16	17	14	15
4 to 5 lbs. ....	15	16	13	14
3 to 4 lbs. ....	12	13	10	11
Old roasters ....	7	8	6	7

### WHOLESALE PROVISIONS

Wholesale provision dealers are quoting the following prices to the Toronto retail trade—

Pork—Ham, 20½c; shoulders, 14½c; butts, 17c; pork loins, 19½c; picnic, 14½c. Lard—Pure, tins, 12½c; tubs, 13c; lard, 12½c; prints, 12c. Shortening—Tins, 10½c; tubs, 11½c; prints, 11½c.

### RAY AND STRAW

No. 2 timothy hay, baled, ton, 60 to 61; No. 3 timothy hay, ton, 57 to 58; straw, wheat, baled, ton, 55 to 56; oat straw, 53.

### GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Following are Saturday's rising quotations on Toronto grain transactions for car lots, prices on basis c.i.f. bay ports—

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, 80½c; No. 2 do., 80½c; No. 4 do., 78½c; No. 5 do., 78½c.

Manitoba oats—No. 1 feed oats, Toronto, 32½c; for all rail shipment delivered Ontario ports, No. 2 C.W., 44½c; No. 3 do., 40½c; extra No. 1 feed oats, 39½c; No. 1 feed oats, 37½c; mixed feed oats, 31c; No. 1 feed screenings, 18.50 per ton.

Manitoba barley—No. 3 C.W., 51½c; No. 5 barley, 48½c; delivered Montreal freights.

Ontario grain, approximate prices track shipping point—Wheat, 70 to 71c; oats, 25 to 26c; barley, 35 to 36c; corn, 40 to 42c; rye, 40 to 42c; milting barley, 45 to 50c; milting oats, 29 to 32c.

The method of the enterprising is to plan with audacity and execute with vigour; to sketch out a map of possibilities, and then to treat them as probabilities.—Bovee.

## A.B. Purvis to Fill Ottawa a Position

National Employment Commission Chairman Named by Government

OTTAWA.—Arthur B. Purvis, of Montreal, president of Canadian Industries, Limited, will be chairman of the National Employment Commission, Premier King announced in the House of Commons this week.

The commission is limited to seven persons, one of whom expected to be a woman and others to represent labor, agriculture and other diversified interests.

The Prime Minister made the announcement when consideration was given in committee stage to the Government's relief bill.

Purvis was born in London, England, March 31, 1896, and held various positions with chemical and explosives firms before coming to Canada in 1925. He is director of several large Canadian corporations but this is his first public appointment in this country.

## Appointed Chairman



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## Six Years Is Test For Film Couples

If Marriages Last for That Period They are Likely to Endure, Survey Shows. — Many are Blissful.

HOLLYWOOD, Calif.—The average movie opium marriage endures for five years, 11 months, and seven days, but—

If it passes that danger-point, it is likely to last for 20 years to life.

The law of averages operated on that schedule in a survey of 300 marriages made recently. The compilation was based on the interval between the wedding ceremony and the divorce hearing. In some cases, long separations preceded the filing of suit for divorce.

Other facts shown: When both husband and wife are movie players, the average duration of their marriage falls to four years, six months.

Directors and producers are the best marital "riks," their unions last on an average of seven years, six months.

## 30 Divorces on Marriage Mart

Thirty movie actresses, divorced in 1935, will be or are eligible for remarriage this year.

The survey was based on marriages ended by divorce. It did not take into account the many movie unions that have endured, such as Mr. and Mrs. George Arliss, 33 years; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Murray, 29 years; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gleason, 28 years; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Harlow, 22 years; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gator, 21 years; Mr. and Mrs. Warner Baxter, 20 years; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Muni, 14 years; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lloyd, 12 years, and Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Barrymore, 12 years.

## Ten Years Is Normal Span

Adding these figures to the longevity statistics, the average goes up almost to what is normal for marriage all over the United States for all classes of people.

That, said Paul Popover, director of the Los Angeles Institute of Domestic Affairs, is exactly 10 years.

Movie marriages and marriages of non-professionals have one thing in common — the second year is the danger period.

"We find that in the case of the ordinary marriage, if it lasts through the second year, it probably will go on to ten years, or longer," he said.

## Kipling Left Large Estate

Net Estate Valued at £142,488; Widow Gets Income From Residue

LONDON.—Rudyard Kipling, whose books outlast all others in this country, left an estate in Britain valued at £155,228 gross and £142,488 net, according to his will, which has been filed by his widow.

Mrs. Kipling receives the house and other property at Burwash, Essex. Mrs. George Bambridge, a daughter, for whom Mr. Kipling had made also other provisions, receives £5,000 and £1,000 is bequeathed to her husband, Captain Bambridge.

The widow receives the income from the residue during her lifetime, after which it will go to the daughter or her children. If she dies without children one-fourth of the estate will go to her husband if he is then living, and subject to this provision the estate will be divided equally between the Australian and Canadian branches of the Fairbridge Farm Schools.

Mr. Kipling directed that the income from his books should be allowed to accumulate for twenty-one years after his death and then be added to the capital.

The Fairbridge Farm Schools, in which the King is deeply interested and for which as Prince of Wales he raised an organization fund of nearly £100,000, were the idea of the late Kimmey O. Fairbridge, an Australian Rhodes Scholar.

In 1912 he established in Western Australia a model farm school for child emigrants from Britain. He took poor boys and girls of London streets and trained them to "fill the empire's empty space."

Five schools — three in Australia, one in New Zealand and one in British Columbia — are now turning out annually 500 children well equipped with farming and dairy knowledge.

Mr. Kipling was a frequent subscriber to the Fairbridge Fund, which planned additional schools in Australia and New Zealand.

Experience is a safe light to walk by, and he is not a rash man who expects to succeed in future from the same means which have secured it in times past. — Wendell Phillips.



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## INQUEST INTO HIGHWAY FATALITY

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had no recollection of car swerving to the left and couldn't remember what struck the car.

Mrs. Hearn, his wife, testified that truck passed their car cutting in directly in front of them less than five feet ahead. There was a terrible crash and she was thrown to the floor. She did not see truck coming from the west and could not remember it swerving to the left.

John Hearn, fifteen year old son, also said that truck cut directly in front of them and testified he pulled the emergency brake. He said he did not know what struck their car.

Burton Beamer, St. Catharines, driver of the truck that passed the Hearn car, stated that as he came alongside the Hearn car he saw truck coming from opposite direction but figured he had plenty of space to get back into line. He was going about

25 miles an hour.

John Miller, St. Catharines, passenger in the Beamer truck and Mrs. John Miller, gave similar evidence.

J. A. Lockhart, driver of Cynamid truck, said that through empty rack of west bound truck he saw black car darting sideways. He judged that it was 20 or 25 feet behind truck. "This car came across the centre of the road and crashed into my truck" he testified.

F. T. Card, Hamilton salesman, was driving behind Cynamid truck and was an eye witness of accident. In his testimony he said "I saw truck coming towards me and one ahead of me. As two trucks passed I saw black car nose out from behind west bound truck and it crashed into the eastbound truck. When they collided I must have been one hundred yards behind them. I saw three feet of car stick out behind truck. I think it was over centre line of road. The truck ahead of me was on its own side.

The coroner then reviewed the evidence, referring to the conflicting statements made by witnesses after which the jury brought in the above verdict.

Crown Attorney Lancaster acted for the crown, P. Sullivan of St. Catharines represented J. J. Hearn, D. F. Popple of St. Catharines, represented B. Beamer and J. W. McBurnie, Niagara Falls, the Cynamid Company.

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## The Week's News of The Surrounding District

## BEAMSVILLE

The house shortage in Beamsville is being seriously felt by intending residents.

It is expected that the majority of business places in town will again observe the Thursday afternoon holiday throughout the summer and early fall, starting on May 6.

George Purdy, brother of W. R. Purdy, of Clinton township, was one of the men assisting with the rescue parties at Moose River. The Purdy brothers are both experienced miners and are familiar with the Moose River terrain. Several other relatives of the Purdy family were also with the rescue workers.

A short notice collection for the Moose River miners' fund at the high and vocational school netted \$16.

Frank Weir, county road engineer, has made a casual survey of a portion of Mountain street in anticipation of using a section of the county road system on that street. Either or both ditches on the east and west sides of the streets in the south end will be tiled.

Daylight time went in force in Beamsville, at midnight Sunday.

Inspector Norman Davies and Miss Hamill, of the vocational branch department of education made their annual inspection at the vocational school on Friday.

A good-sized barn on the farm occupied by J. Stahl, two miles south of Jordan, in Louth township, was totally destroyed by fire around 11 o'clock Sunday night. Several head of stock were removed, but a quantity of hay and fodder went up in smoke. The blaze was visible over a large area.

The High and Vocational School Tennis club has elected the following officers: President, Harold Clarke; vice-president, Francis Richardson; treasurer, Helen Hippie; assistant treasurer, George Ball; secretary, Betty Mackie; grounds committee, Stanley Cotterill, Edmund Richardson, John Cass.

A resident of Ridgeway, Mrs. Lily deest, aged seventy-five years died at the home of her brother, George White, East avenue, on Saturday. Deceased was born in England. Surviving are one brother, George, and a niece, Mrs. Hudson, both of Beamsville. The funeral took place at Ridgeway Monday afternoon.

"Bohemia", the third act, musical comedy presented on behalf of the Lena Davis Chapter of the I.O.G.E. in the Community Hall, Thursday night, was a splendid success. A packed house greeted the all-local cast. About 40 persons took part in the play, and these were assisted by an all-local orchestra.

"Bohemia" is the product of Miss Sylvia Crow, Mrs. Archie Roland was the director, assisted by Mr. S. Cotterill. Miss Dorothy Forsythe led the orchestra.

Vic Hettrick underwent an operation in the Hamilton General Hospital. Frank Bellier has received word from his son Frank, in Detroit, that the latter's wife, and daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Hurst, had passed away in that city at the age of 23 years. The funeral was held at Grand Lawn Cemetery, Detroit.

M. D. Lacy, local contractor, has completed re-decorating the council chambers. A new hardwood floor will also be laid.

Mrs. Ned Fairbrother is in the Hamilton General Hospital where she underwent an operation a short time ago. She is progressing nicely.

## FRUITLAND

The Boy Scouts, under the leadership of George Callidine, held a farewell party in Fruitland United church basement. George gave a report of the boys' conference held in St. Catharines last week-end, and Councillor Charles Lounsbury and Rev. I. M. Moyer gave the boys brief talks. George Callidine, leader of the boys, leaves for Toronto shortly.

The C.G.I.T. girls of Fruitland United church ably presented the play "Patsy", on Wednesday evening. They were assisted by Dorothy Cantelo, the Misses Glidden, Stella Quance and John Baxter.

Chicken thieves are still active in this district. W. Kilgour's and L. Kilgour's coops were the latest raided.

## VINEMOUNT

Miss Phoebe Dear gave a very timely talk on the common cold at the April meeting of the Women's Institute. Mrs. E. Tweedle and Mrs. E. Hewley gave a number of readings. Dr. M. S. Heddle spoke briefly concerning the establishment of a baby clinic for the whole of Beamsville.

## WINONA

Miss Smallshaw, nurse-in-training at the Hamilton General Hospital, and who spent some time in missionary work in Southern Saskatchewan, gave an account of the customs and her works among the Hungarian people, in Fifty church on Sunday evening. She is now training for a nurse. Those contributing to the musical part of the program were the Misses Olive Denny, Zeta Bogie and Catharine Campbell.

The April meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. John Dodge on Thursday afternoon, when Dr. H. G. Brownlee, of Grimsby, and Dr. M. S. Heddle, of Beamsville, will also speak.

Rev. T. M. Lowe, who has been in the Hamilton Hospital for the last month, has returned home.

The staff of the local Bell Telephone office and friends held a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Fletcher on Friday evening, in honour of the local manager, Mrs. Helen Graham, and presented her with a handsome leather travelling case as a token of appreciation for her excellent services here during the last ten years. The presentation was made by Miss Betty Martin, of the office staff. Rev. I. M. Moyer also spoke.

F. Lamb, of Hamilton, had charge of the morning service at St. John's church Sunday. The evening service was under the auspices of the A.Y.F. A. and Rev. D. B. Rogers, of Toronto, was the speaker.

## THIRTY MOUNTAIN

Mr. A. Bowman of Oshpelt spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Robey.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webb spent Sunday at Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson spent Sunday at Beamsville visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. West.

Mrs. H. Aston and Sheila spent Wednesday in Hamilton visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coomber.

The B. W. Institute entertained their husbands on Tuesday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Thompson. A splendid programme was given after which the ladies served lunch and all returned to their homes, the men expressing a wish they do this often.

Mrs. J. Williams and daughters returned home on Sunday.

The whole neighborhood seems to be pulling, hauling and grooming with sore fingers, but, cheer up, the grapes will soon be tied.

The Home and School club closed their season's meetings on Thursday last. A splendid program and lunch was enjoyed by all. The date of the picnic was set for Saturday, June 20, the place, Grimsby Beach. Come one, come all and enjoy a good time.

Connie Lounsbury spent the week-end with Betty Hurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinfield spent Sunday at Grimsby Beach visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lounsbury.

## GRASSIE

A number of neighbors and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ball, on Saturday evening, where a very pleasant surprise party was held in honor of their daughter, Irene, who celebrated her 16th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis and little son, also Mrs. Minnie Merritt, of Hamilton, visited at Fred Walker's on Sunday.

We are glad to hear Mr. Walker is slowly gaining his strength, after his lengthy illness and we hope to see him out again in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Packham, of Bethel, spent Sunday at H. Hyatt's.

The May meeting of the Grimsby W.I. is to be held at Mrs. Donald Bacon's home, where the annual election of officers will take place.

The members of the Institute held a sewing bee last Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Isaac Southward's home. A number of quilts will soon be finished which will be on hand for relief purposes when needed.

## SMITHVILLE

At the annual meeting of the Smithville Hockey club over the week-end the election of the following officers was held: President W. B. Thompson; secretary-treasurer, William Byford; executive committee, Ernest Snyder, L. P. Killins and W. C. Lyndburner.

There was unanimous approval from players and fans alike when the genial W. B. "Dad" Comfort was again named manager. He has been the guiding hand which led the team to two successive years as Walworth league winners, and in the season just closed, to the Ontario Rural Hockey association championship.

## — AWAY BACK WHEN —

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advanced rapidly. At this time there were two roads, scarcely more than footpaths, and fenced in by forest trees — one running in a zigzag course near the foot of the mountain and the other cut along the lake following the curves of the shore, both terminating at Burlington Heights. In the early days, the Lake Road, as it was called, was the principal thoroughfare, and continued to be so for many years. But, little by little, the waves of Ontario washed away the lake bank from the beach to the east of the "Thirty" until they encroached in places upon the highway. The road fences were removed several times at various points along the coast, but the waves steadily ate their way upon it until the whole highway was washed away and the line of the old lake road is now in the most cases, far out in the water.

In 1826, a house built on the upper road, at the Fifty Mile Creek, a stream, so-called by the earlier settlers who gave each of the creeks along this road the names of 3-mile creek, 5-mile creek, 20-mile creek, etc., according to their supposed distance from Niagara. This house became a stopping place and in later years almost a village; and at Stony Creek two or three log houses, a log tavern, a saw mill, and a church sprang up, and in a few years became a village. Occasional settlers came into the township till the year 1812, when this little village of Stony Creek was fated to be the scene of the most important battle of 1812 and to become an immortal name in the history of the country.

## CANNERS ENJOY PROFITABLE YEAR

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stands at \$6.50 to each \$1 of habitation. Arrangements are being completed for the repayment of the remaining mortgage bonds at par, plus call premiums, funds for this purpose being raised by sale of a new issue at lower coupon rates, payable in Canada only, and showing a substantial saving to the company.

While mention is made of the large tax total, due, it is said, to the high cost of government, signs are seen of the curtailing of government expenditures for purposes outside the scope of government, and in unfair competition often with industry itself.

The consolidated balance sheet shows total assets of \$20,111,812.94.

Reference is made to the death during the year of Mark Beeson and Hon. H. C. Schuchfeld, both directors of the company.

## REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING LINCOLN LOYALIST CHAPTER

The regular business meeting of Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, I. O. O. F. was held in the Church Parlor of Trinity Hall on Monday afternoon, the regular, Mrs. Way, occupying the chair.

The meeting opened in the regular way, the minutes being read by the secretary. It was with deep regret that the resignation of Mrs. Groce from the Town Relief Board was accepted, she having been a very ardent and willing worker for many years.

Those elected to the various committees were the following:

Town Relief Child and Family Welfare, Mrs. Hawke; Township Relief, Mrs. Beamer and Mrs. W. Hunter; Literature, Mrs. Wolfenden; Emigration, Mrs. Lethian; League of Nations, Mrs. Choe; Empire Study, Miss Walsh; Flower Convener, Mrs. Young; Red Cross, Mrs. Hughes; From, Mrs. Cloughley.

It was moved that the next meeting would be held on May 18th owing

## LOST BOY IS FOUND NEAR ST. CATHARINES

Lena McLeod, the lost boy, was picked up just outside the western city limits of St. Catharines last Tuesday night by Carmen Cosby, a new neighbour. Mr. Cosby was not searching for the boy at the time, but was on his way from the city to his home in Clinton township. The lad was very weary, said Mr. Cosby, and was not too anxious to come back, however, he was persuaded to get into the car and was returned to his parents.

to the holiday. A lengthy discussion followed in regard to the location of a suitable Chapter Room. It was moved that this matter be left over to a later date.

The Regent, representing the Chapter at the Provincial Meeting which was held last Wednesday and Thursday in Hamilton, gave a very interesting report on the splendid work that had been accomplished by the various Chapters.

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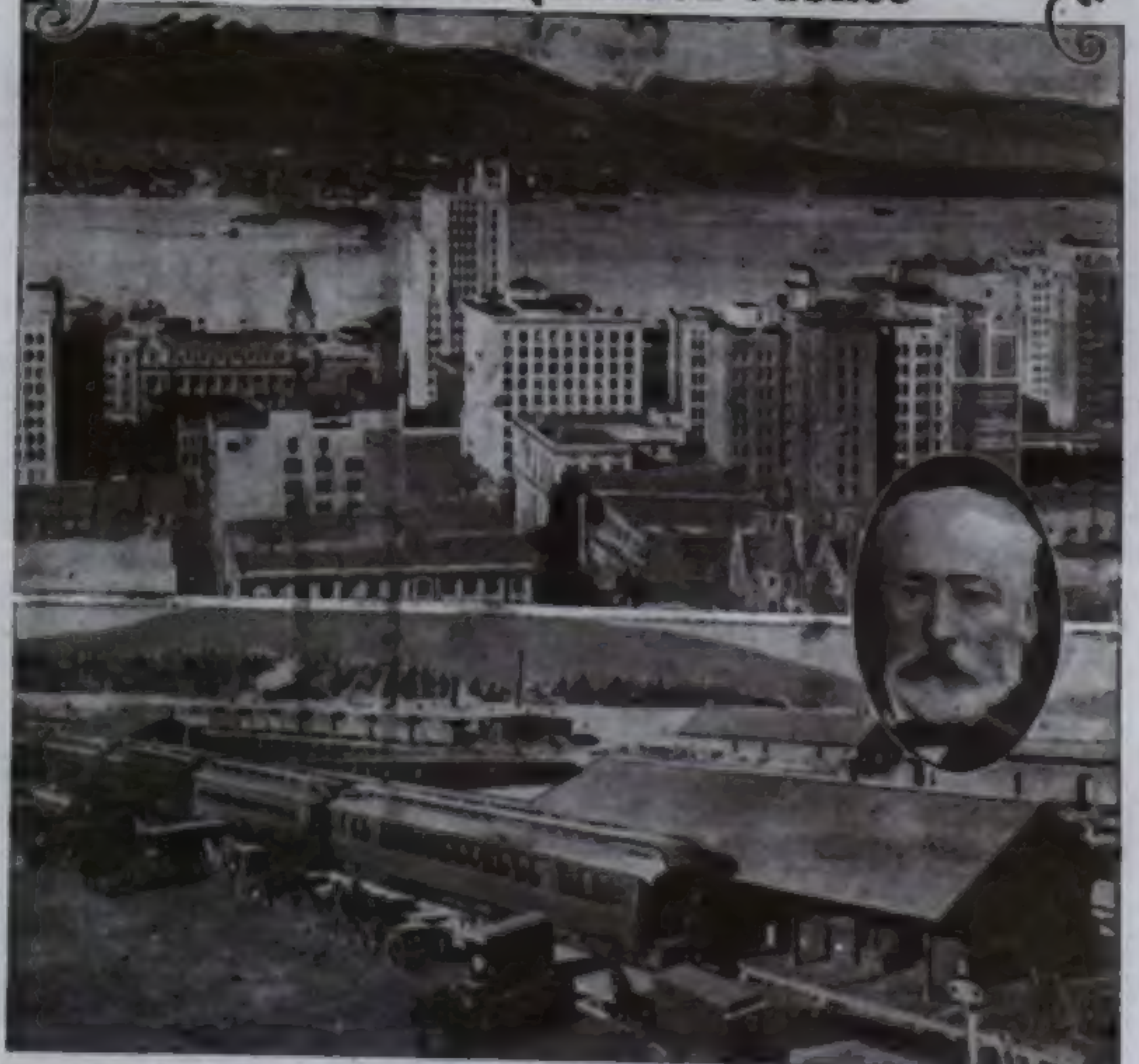
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pageantry of an Alderhot tattoo, frontier work, street dancing and costume balls, and historical exhibits arranged to illustrate Vancouver's steady progress during the first half century of its existence. Even before the beginning of the celebration proper, many colorful events will be given recognition, including Empire Day and horticulture show in May; Pioneer's festival on June 13-14; school programme in June; Becharlette Congress, which will attract thousands, June 11 to 14; golf tournament, King's birthday, and religious dedicatory services.

One of the highlights of Vancouver's celebration will be the re-enacting of the arrival of the first Canadian Pacific train

almost half a century ago. The venerable old engine, first to the coast, will be run again, with its original pilot, W. H. Evans, at the throttle. Some of the old-timers who saw the first train arrive will also be present for the ceremony. The Canadian Pacific Railway will run tours at low cost from Eastern Canada to the Pacific Coast for the event, with stop-over privileges at Banff Springs Hotel, Chateau Lake Louise, and other famous Rocky Mountain resorts.

Pictures show the old and the new Vancouver, and Sir William Van Horne, second president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who chose the name of Vancouver in 1884 for the western terminal of the first trans-continental railway line.